# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# DEFENCE
# LOK SABHA

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OUTSTANDING DUES FOR USING DEFENCE AIRCRAFTS
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**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

(a) the name of political leaders and parties who owe huge amount to the Government for using defence aircrafts;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to recover the same?

## Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) S/Shri Chandrasekhar, P V Narasimha Rao, H D Deve Gowda respectively, of Samajwadi Janata Party, Indian National Congress (I) and Janata Dal owe more than Rs. Ten Lakhs as dues to the Government for the use of defence aircraft.

(b) The details of dues are contained in the statement attached.

(c) The Government has filed suits in February, 2001, in the Hon`ble High Court of Delhi, for effecting recovery of the amounts from the three former Prime Ministers. The suits will come up for hearing on 9th January 2002. Further action for realisation of the dues will be taken as per the directions of the Court.